

# **Story County Sheriff's Office**

# **April 2014**



Paul H. Fitzgerald
Story County Sheriff



# **Annual Budget Report**and Statistics

# **ANNUAL REPORT 2013**





# Sheriff's Office

Story County
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# Dear Story County Citizens:

I am honored to provide to you our third annual Story County Sheriff's Office Annual Report. It is my continued goal to enlighten and update our citizens as to the Story County Sheriff's Office activities and highlights from the past year. I hope that by sharing our statistics I am able to continue to provide a clear picture of what we are doing and the trends we are seeing here at the sheriff's office.

In the 2013 Annual Report, again you will find our budget and statistical information, as well as personnel updates such as retirements, new hires and promotions.

I feel the annual report provides me an opportunity to let the citizens know what their sheriff's office is about and showcase some of our accomplishments and our volunteer groups. My goal is to inform the citizens about the proactive programs being offered in the jail and other areas of the sheriff's office.

As always, I appreciate you taking the time to review our publication and hope you find the annual report informative. As our mission statement reflects: It is our mission at the Story County Sheriff's Office to ensure public safety through the implementation of professional and proactive law enforcement services and to build trust by maintaining the highest standards of performance, integrity, and ethics. Thank you for the opportunity to serve the citizens of Story County.

Sincerely,

Paul H. Fitzgerald Story County Sheriff

# **Story County Sheriff's Office 2013 Annual Report**

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# **Past Sheriffs of the Story County Sheriff's Office**

Story County boundaries were established in 1846 and in 1853 the County was named after United States Supreme Court Justice Joseph Story. The first Story County Sheriff was Eli Deal and served in office from April 4, 1853 thru August 1, 1853.

Sheriff's Name	Dates in Of	ffice Number of Terms
Eli Deal	4/4/1853-8/1/1853	½ term
John J. Zenor	8/1/1853-1856	2 terms
George Childs	1857-1861	2 ½ terms
L. Q. Hoggatt	1862-1865	2 terms
H. T. Murphy	1866-1869	2 terms
Alt Goodin	1870-1871	1 term
H. F. Murphy	1872-1873	1 term
Charles Christian	1874-1875	1 term
J.F. Gillespie	1876-1879	2 terms
A. K. Banks	1880-1887	4 terms
C. A. Wood	1888-1895	4 terms
A. K. Banks	1896-1899	2 terms
W. A. Ricketts	1900-1907	4 terms
Fred Warrick	1908-1913	3 terms
W. A. Ricketts	1914-1926	6 terms
R. W. Nebergall	1926-1930	2 terms
J. R. (John) Hattery	1930-1935	3 terms
Vern Lynch	Filled vacancy created by	y Hattery going to Iowa Highway Patrol
C.V. McGriff	1937-1941	Killed on Duty
Harry Mills	Filled vacancy of McGriff	1941-1942
G. A. Hall	1942-1948	3 terms
J. I. (Ivan) Shalley	1948- 1972 (24 years)	(6) <mark>2 yr. and (3) 4</mark> yr. terms
John P. Stark	1973-1993 (20 years)	(5) 4 yr. terms
Paul H. Fitzgerald	1993 to present	



Photo and information courtesy of Nevada Community Historical Society

Dyer-Dowell Victorian House 922 5th Street, Nevada, IA

This house was originally the Story County Jall, built in 1869.

It was 24' x 30' with a hall and jailer's residence on the first floor, with prisoner's cells above. After it was enlarged and converted into a private home, it was purchased by Judge George W. and Martha Kellogg Dyer. Mrs. Dyer was the daughter of Dr. Nathan Alonzo and Hannah Kellogg—early pioneers of Nevada. Mrs. Austin A. Dowell (Isabel Dyer) gave the family home to the historical society in 1988 in memory of her parents and grand-parents.

# The Story County Sheriff's Office

under the leadership of Sheriff Paul H. of Applied Science Police Science from Wartburg College, and was the Fitzgerald. Sheriff Fitzgerald was born Degree from Hawkeye Institute of first lowa Sheriff to hold his Master's in Marshalltown, IA, and attended Technology (now known as Hawkeye Degree of Criminal Justice, which he school and graduated from Colo, lowa. Community College), earned his obtained from St. Ambrose University.

The Story County Sheriff's Office is Sheriff Fitzgerald earned his Associate Bachelor's Degree in Law Enforcement

STORY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE Paul H. Fitzgerald. Sheriff February 6, 2014 **Organizational Chart** 84.5 Authorized Employees

> Sheriff (1) Paul H. Fitzgerald

Chief Deputy (1) **Barry M. Thomas** 

> Administrative Assistant/ **Budget Supervisor (1)**

**Jail Division** (37.5)

Field Services Division (23)

Communications Division (13)

**Support Services** Division (8)

Commander (1) Assistant Jail Admin. (1) Sergeant (1) Supervisors (4) Deputy (1) Clerical (1) D.O.'s (24) Diversion Program Mgr. **(1)** Cooks (3.5)

Commander (1) Sergeants (5) Patrol Deputies (15) Detectives (2)

Commander (1) Ops Manager (1) Communication Supervisor (0) Dispatchers (11)

Commander (1) Sergeant (1) Deputy (2) Clerical (4)

# **Story County Sheriff's Office Mission Statement**

Our Mission Statement is proudly displayed in the main lobby of the sheriff's office and it reads as follows:

The mission of the Story County Sheriff's Office is to ensure public safety through the implementation of professional and proactive law enforcement services and to build public trust by maintaining the highest standards of performance, integrity, and ethics.

# **Sheriff's Office Goals**

### Safety:

The Story County Sheriff's Office shall provide quality services that ensure the safety and security of the public and all sheriffs' office The Story County Sheriff's Office personnel. This includes focusing on the emotional wellness of all sheriffs' office employees.

### **Community Partnerships:**

The Story County Sheriff's Office shall be proactive in establishing community partnerships with local businesses, government entities and community shareholders in an effort to solidify the public trust in the office. Offering solutions for a response to an active shooter event will be a priority, including close interacprocedures and protocols.

### Fiscal Responsibility:

will operate within its established and approved budget and will continue to provide quality The Story County Sheriff's Office services in the most cost effective manner possible. In addition, the sheriff's office will con- through tinually search for cost savings in every aspect of the way business is conducted.

# Employee and Leadership **Development:**

**Employees of the Story County** 

necessary through knowledge gained by quality training, professional experience, and supervisory feedback.

### **Diversity:**

shall recognize the diversity in our community and embrace it aggressive recruiting efforts and staff training.

### Technology:

**Employees of the Story County** Sheriff's Office will recognize the importance of technology to the success of the agency's mission Sheriff's Office shall be empow- and will proactively seek techno-

tion with schools to establish ered to perform their duties as logical equipment that can be obtained in a fiscally responsible manner.

### **Equality:**

The Story County Sheriff's Office will promote equality throughout the entire office and across all divisions within the agency. It is recognized that all divisions are equally important to the success of the sheriff's office in ensuring the welfare and public safety of the citizens of Story County.



# 2013 Division Goals

# **Field Services Goals:**

- 1. Promote Story County Sheriff's Office through informative presentations to the public and service organizations.
- Continue to improve the working relationship with the other sheriff's office divisions and outside agencies.
- 3. Target problem areas for traffic enforcement utilizing analyzed data collected from the speed trailer, conduct alcohol and tobacco compliance checks.

# **Support Services Goals:**

- initiate/maintain document imaging process for permanent records. Train and use volunteers for scanning files. Prioritization of files to be scanned. Destruction plan for permanent files after scanning.
- Quality control/on-going protection of data.

- Complete clerical staff cross -training efforts - utilizing cross-trainings and trading of responsibilities on a monthly basis to establish redundancy across all work tasks performed by clerical staff.
- Reserve Deputy Unit Hire/ train new Reserve Deputies utilizing the new annual training plan established with the Marshalltown PD and Marshall County Sheriff's Office.
- Dive Team Hire/train new divers. Complete open water certification for new divers. Cross-train with area teams.
- TraCS Integration of complaints & citations. Ensure information is inputted directly by officers into the Multi-Agency Public Safety Records Management System (RMS) from TraCS.
- 2014 SoftCode update facilitate software upgrade civil papers /accounting software.

### **Jail Division Goals:**

- To ensure public safety by controlling and managing inmates in a safe, humane, cost-efficient manner, consistent with sound correctional principals and constitutional standards.
- To operate and manage the Story County Jail in compliance with federal, state, and local laws and the mission statement of the Story County Sheriff's Office.
- To promote/follow the "Six Pillars of Character" development throughout the Jail Division to help foster a safe environment in which staff and inmates can grow and develop professionally and personally.
- To operate, manage, and continue to develop the transition from jail to community program providing inmates the skills and resources to successfully make the transition back into the community.

# **Communication Division:** Goals:

- 1. Provide professional and proactive service, efficiency in paperwork. Streamline documents and procedures to encourage efficiency and performance.
- 2. Ensure the best work environment.
- 3. Encourage inter-agency training and sharing of best practices.
- 4. Staff involvement in tours, community presentations and specialized division tasks.
- 5. Quarterly meetings with training coordinators to discuss areas needing improvement and solicit training and procedural solutions.
- 6. Employee development plans for staff for training, professional development and skill building.
- 7. Empower/encourage ownership of staff.

# **Sheriff's Office News and Highlights**

# RETIREMENTS, NEW HIRES, AND PROMOTIONS:

- Sgt. Shawn Slezak retired after 22 years of service as a deputy sheriff with our office.
- Nancy Schultz separated her employment as a telecommunicator after 14 1/2 years of employment.
- Duane Smith retired from the position of cook after 13 years of employment.
- Donnette Williams, Food Services
   Manager retired from our office
   after 15 1/2 years of employment.
- Deputy Nicholas Lennie was promoted to Sergeant May 2013. Deputy Lennie began his career as a Deputy Sheriff with our office July 2008.

### **New Deputy Sheriff hires:**

 Andrew Boeckman was hired as a Deputy Sheriff January 2013. Andrew had previously worked for the sheriff's office as a detention officer since June 2011.

### **New Detention Officers hires:**

- Corv Davis March 2013
- Brett Sink July 2013

### **New Telecommunicator hires:**

- Nicolas Briseno Promoted to Ops Manager - May 2013
- ♦ Kristen Moore May 2013
- Danielle Schmitt June 2013

### **New Cook hires:**

- Nicholas Rosenberg July 2013
- Sherry Sinclair November 2013

# **NEWS:**

In June 2013, Detention Officer Zachary Skelton was granted a one year leave of absence from his duties as a detention officer with our office. D.O. Skelton serves as a Captain with the United States Army Reserves. He is currently on active military duty in Afghanistan.

Members of the sheriff's office went together and collected, donated and mailed to Zach's soldiers miscellaneous items such as books, movies, snacks, hygiene products, etc.

We would also like to recognize our other Story County Sheriff's Office employees who currently serve in the



Photo: D.O. Skelton pictured on far right with his troop with the sheriff's office care packages.

# military reserves:



- Deputy A.J. Christian 1st. Lieutenant with the lowa Air National Guard 132nd Fighter Wing
- Detention Officer Russell Bauer -Sergeant with U.S. Army 960th Quartermaster Company



- Chaplain Program Update: Over the past year, the Story County Sheriff's Office has worked closely with other public safety service providers and community volunteers to form the Central Iowa Emergency Services Chaplaincy (CIESC). While still in its infant stage, CIESC is a newly created non-profit organization which trains, maintains and dispatches highly skilled volunteer chaplains to provide spiritual and emotional support and assistance to emergency responders and their families in times of crisis. Sgt. Rodney Bunn and Telecommunicator Stephanie Memmer are the sheriff's office liaisons to this valuable organization.
- A.L.i.C.E. Program Update: The sheriff's office continues to expand the A.L.i.C.E. program. The A.L.i.C.E. program teaches citizens, including school students and school staff, what to do in a violent intruder/active shooter situation. The office has eight trained instructors and have presented at DMACC, Roland-Story, Colo-NESCO, Collins-Maxwell, and Gilbert Schools. We have worked with Nevada Police and Huxley Police to present the A.L.i.C.E. program at the Nevada

and Ballard Schools. We have presented to various governmental and non-governmental groups including: Iowa Treasurers Association, Iowa State Association of Counties, Iowa State PTA Convention, DMACC Criminal Justice Club, and the Story County employees. The focus has been primarily on schools, but we are hoping to open up classes for Story County residents/business in the future.

PARTNER (Personnel Actively Responding To Those Needing Emergency Resources). - Sheriff Fitzgerald has organized a team of Commanders, Supervisors and a member of the County Attorney's Office to develop and implement a policy and procedure for responding to an incident of a missing, abducted or endangered person/s. This team has partnered with Central Iowa **RSVP** (Retired and Senior Volunteer Program) for the many well trained volunteers associated with RSVP to assist the sheriff's office when responding to such an incident. The team's goal is to have a plan in place in the event of a missing or abducted person. A table top training exercise will be conducted in the spring of 2014.



PARTNER members pictured: Back row (L to R):
Lt. Don Ellis - Support Services, Sgt. Rod Bunn Investigations, Sgt. Gary Backous - Support Services, Nic Briseno - Ops Manager Communications,
Commander John Asmussen - Jall, Sgt. Randy
Mortvedt - Field Services, Front row: Lt. Jeff Dodds
- Field Services, Commander Dina McKenna Communications, Jane Page - Admin. Assist.,
Betty Boccella - RSVP Volunteer Coordinator, Assist. Jall Administrator - Micah Andersen (Not
plctured: Assistant County Attorney Tiffany Meredith)

To be notified of any future job postings, go to Story County Website (www.storycountylowa.gov) under

**Employment/Job Interest Cards** 

# **NEW -Central Iowa Farm Watch**

Story County Sheriff's Office is excited to announce the partnership with DuPont to establish lowa's first Farm Watch Program here in Story County.

**DuPont** is partnering with the Story **County Sheriff's Office and the National** Sheriffs; Association (NSA) to establish lowa's first Farm Watch program to enhance security and safety of rural residents and farmers. DuPont and the Story County Sheriff's Office are working together in this off-shoot of NSA's Neighborhood Watch and Farm Watch.

"Farm Watch helps reduce opportunities for crime to occur in farming and rural communities," said Paul Fitzgerald, Story County Sheriff. "Essential to this is encouraging people to report suspicious incidents to law enforcement officials as they occur and also share the information with other Farm Watch members. As well as helping to deter crime, this strengthens community spirit with everyone working together to protect their property."

"Farmers often have a great deal of capital spread over a large expanse of land," explained John Pieper, director of the DuPont Cellulosic Ethanol Develop- Physical setting ment Program Office. "Some stock and equipment is portable and can be relatively easy to steal. While property can 🞝 never be made totally secure, becoming a Farm Watch member undoubtedly reduces the risk of becoming a victim of farming or rural crime. DuPont has a vested interest in central lowa and wants to help enhance the safety and security for all community members."

DuPont says the goals of the program include: reducing opportunities for crime to occur in farming and rural communities; strengthening community spirit; improving communication between the How to Observe People and Vehicles farming community and law enforcement; and encouraging people to report suspicious incidents as they occur.

Farm Watch will also offer practical crime prevention advice to farmers and landowners, to help ensure their property and goods are as secure as possible. as well as providing a marking system and signs to indicate participation in the program.

What is the FARM WATCH?

It is a part of the National Sheriffs' Association's Neighborhood Watch program that was developed almost 40 years What is "Suspicious" Activity? Suspiago and is dedicated to the prevention clous activity can refer to incidents, and reduction of crime at the neighborhood level. Farm Watch is a spin off from the Neighborhood Watch program that involves rural community citizens in a combined effort to prevent crime in ANY: areas surrounded by farms and large parcels of land. The Farm Watch organization is made up of law enforcement officials, county leaders. farmers and rural residents. The intent is for our citizens to report suspicious activities to law enforcement.

We want to educate our citizens on the importance of being observant and help them learn observation skills that can be employed in Farm Watch. It is vital to understand that observation is the first step in reporting incidents or suspicious activities.

It is important to note and report:

- specific location
- time of day
- day of week

# **People**

- appearance
- behavior
- number of people

What else appears to be important?

routines, is this a pattern or recurring event

- stay calm
- remain alert to your surroundings

**BE A TEAM PLAYER** sign up now for **FARM WATCH** Program. Come in and sign up and receive your sign!!!



Begin with the basics, move to specifics, broaden your perspective and add details.

events, individuals, or circumstances that seem unusual or out of place.

What should you report?

- suspicious activities
- suspicious people
- suspicious vehicles
- illegal activities
- unusual events or incidents
- dangerous situations

When reporting suspicious activity, remember locations are important, so:

- try to provide an exact address
- provide cross streets or closest major intersection
- in rural areas, provide county road numbers or mile markers along state or federal highways
- provide landmarks that can be recognized by law enforcers or emergency responders
- describe the location with as much detail as possible

If you, an organization or club would like a member from our office to come and do a presentation on the FARM WATCH PROGRAM, please feel free to contact our office.





# **Administration**

**Sheriff Paul H. Fitzgerald** Capt. Barry M. Thomas - Chief Deputy Jane Page - Administrative Assistant/Budget Supervisor

the Sheriff, the Chief Deputy and the Administrative Assistant/Budget Supervisor. The primary focus of the Administrative Team is to set the direction and mission of the Story County Sheriff's Office and to ensure that professional and proactive law enforcement services. We continue to move our long standing are rendered to the citizens of Story sheriff's office's Policies and Procedures County.

managing eighty-five (85) employees, twenty-five (25) Sheriff's Reserve positions, eight (8) dive team members and one hundred thirty-seven (137) volun- public trust. teers, creating and implementing policies and procedures, handling human The Story County Iowa website ing internal affairs investiga-

grievances, developing and overseeing the sheriff's office budget, approving all budget expenditures, media relations, and working directly with communities to meet their law enforcement needs.

into a digital format. It is our mission to make available to all staff the guide-The Admin Team accomplishes this by; lines that have been developed to ensure public safety through the implementation of professional and proactive law enforcement services and to build

resource issues, overseeing the testing (www.storycountyiowa.gov) provides and hiring of new employees, conduct- means for the public to submit a confi- mation and click "Submit Request".

The Administration Team is made up of tions, receiving and processing internal dential tip to Story County Crime Stoppers through a link provided on the website that connects directly to the Story County Crime Stoppers site. The Story County Crime Stoppers is a non-profit organization that works closely with the local law enforcement. Their program is designed to solve crime with the help of concerned citizens. (See page 27)

> Administration over sees the job postings and hiring procedures. We continually strive to look for avenues to recruit the highest quality personnel. So we remind you to check the county website and be sure to sign up to be notified of job postings. Go to the website home page, click on "Employment", select "Job Interest Cards" fill out your infor-

# **Professional Organizations**

**Professional Organization Affiliates:** 

- **NSA (National Sheriffs' Association)**
- ISSDA (lowa State Sheriffs & Deputies Association)
- FBINAA (FBI National Academy **Associates**)
- AJA (American Jail Association)
- IACP (International Association of **Chiefs of Police**)
- **Midwest Association of Technical Accident Investigators**
- **National Association of Field Train**ing Officers
- **MOCIC** (Midwest Organized Crime **Information Center)**
- **APCO** (Association of Public-Safety **Communications Officials)**
- **NENA** (National Emergency Number Association)
- International Association of **Firearms Instructors**
- National Tactical Officers Association
- SAFE CALL NOW A CONFIDENTIAL RESOURCE FOR PUBLIC SAFETY EMPLOYEES INCLUDING LAW ENFORCEMENT, FIRST RESPONDERS, FIRE, CORRECTIONS, CIVILIAN SUPPORT STAFF AND THEIR FAMILIES NATIONWIDE.
- IADRS International Association of fessionalism. **Dive Rescue Specialists**



Sheriff's office personnel who currently serve on organizational boards are:

- Sheriff Paul Fitzgerald board member on FirstNet
- Capt. Barry Thomas FBINAA 2nd **Vice President Section II**
- Capt. Barry Thomas Chairman of the Board Safe Call Now
- Lt. Don Ellis ISSDA Uniform Committee
- Deputy Jason Grubbs ISSDA Honor Guard





ISSDA and NSA are great partners. Through their organizations we are offered valuable resources and trainings at little or no fee to our employees. This aids to enhancement of our level of proISSDA also pays to send one child from each of the ninety-nine counties to the YMCA camp for one week in the summer. Our office has been an active participant in this opportunity for decades. The candidate selection process is done in coordination with the counselors of the schools in Story County.



Story County is honored to have our Sheriff Paul H. Fitzgerald along with Capt. Barry Thomas, Lt. Jeff Dodds, and Sgt. Scott Kickbush all graduates of the FBI National Academy. Sgt. Leanna Ellis has been accepted and will attend the academy in 2016. The lowa Chapter of FBINAA conducts an annual re-trainer for all the lowa academy graduates each year. Another example of our continued efforts to provide the best available training to our staff.

Our affiliation with other professional organizations aids us in achieving our mission: "implementation of professional and proactive law enforcement services"

# **Support Services Division**

**Commander Lt. Don Ellis** 

**Sgt. Gary Backous** 

Deputy Sheriff Craig McKinney Deputy Sheriff Mike Waldbillig

Financial Data Manager: Constance Toresdahl

Office Services Technician: Lori Smith
Office Services Technician: Jaime Johnson
Office Services Technician: Jan Chance



# **Support Services Division**

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The Support Services Division is responsible for receiving, processing and serving civil and criminal court orders and legal documents. Civil Process Servers are responsible for service of the papers for the division. Types of civil, criminal and legal documents served by the Support Services Division include: original notices, miscellaneous notices, subpoenas, court orders, executions, warrants, summons, writs and other miscellaneous documents. The FY2013 revenues generated through support services included civil process fees in the amount of \$139,945, permits to carry \$51,640, inmate work release payments \$10,686 + \$53.72 in interest for a total of \$202,324.72.

Other responsibilities of the Support Services Division include:

- issuance of weapon permits,
- sex offender registry,
- processing requests for motor vehicle crash reports,
- lowa driver's license records and criminal history checks.

The Support Services Division also coordinates the training and education for the staff at the sheriff's office as well as the presentation of the annual Citizen's Academy.

This past year the staff in the Support Services Division has been busy with the implementation of hard card weapon permits, the acceptance of credit and debit cards for payment and cross training.

After hearing the citizens of Story Coun- one staff member.

ty loud and clear, the sheriff's office began issuing hard card weapon permits this past September. The hard card permits resemble that of a driver's license and are expected to last the five year validation period. The cost of the hard card is \$10.00.

To facilitate another acceptable source of payment for the convenience our citizens, Support Services Division of the sheriff's office began accepting Master-Card or Visa Debit/Credit Cards for payment of: permits to purchase or carry, sheriff's fees for service of civil papers, drivers license records, accident reports, and sex offender registration fees. The implementation of this new service has been well received.



For professional development and necessity of redundancy, the Support Services Division executed a new format of cross training for the clerical staff. Our staff, who specialize within their own assignments such as financial management, civil process, records management, etc. are "switching seats" for one week each month to learn the specialized tasks of their co-workers and establish a skill set within those areas. The implementation of this program has not only promoted a depth of knowledge but has also established confidence and efficiency in the completion of those specialty tasks originally completed by

# **Weapons Permits Laws**

SF2379 was enacted during the 2010 legislative session and signed by Governor Culver to become lowa law on January 1, 2011. It made significant changes to lowa Code Ch. 724.



To get more information on the lowa Laws regarding Weapons Permits you can go to: www.dps.state.ia.us/asd/ weapon\_permits

# **Iowa Sex Offender Laws**

# I lowa Sex Offender Registry

To get more information on the lowa Sex Offender Registry you an go to: www.iowasexoffender.com



Photo: Support Services staff (Back row: Lt. Don Ellis, Sgt. Gary Backous, Connie Toresdahl-Financial Data Manager, Deputies Craig McKinney and Mike Waldbillig, front row Lorl Smith-Records Management, Jaime Johnson-Civil Process, Jan Chance-Gun Permits and Customer Service)

# **Support Services Division**

### **Sheriff's Reserve Unit**

in Story County. The Reserve Deputy Hill. Sheriff performs law enforcement duties as support to the organization as In 2013, two Reserve Deputies were determined by need in accordance with promoted to the rank of Reserve Ser-Chapter 80D of the lowa Code.

sheriff.

Office. They include Seth Bean, Bruce Story County Sheriffs' Reserve Unit. Bjorklund, Jeffrey Brenneman, Mark Miller, Mark Mills, Ross Sorensen, Brian **Drewry and Nathan Jones.** 

The Story County Sheriff's Reserve Unit After many years of service, three is a volunteer organization that provides Reserve Deputies retired in 2013; Reassistance and service to the Story serve Sergeant James Egeland and Re-County Sheriff's Office and the citizens serve Deputies Brian Carr and Heath

geant: Rick Weeks and Tim Schroeder.

trained, professional unit that exceeds Sheriff's Reserve include Chad Fleener,the certification requirements of the Reserve Captain, Carrol McCracken,-Iowa Law Enforcement Academy. Reserve Lieutenant, Rick Weeks-Reserve Deputies provide law enforce- Reserve Sergeant, Tim Schroeder,ment services for special events, con-Reserve Sergeant and Reserve Deputy tract private law enforcement duties Sheriffs; Joel Leyh, Jordan DeZeeuw, and while on duty, function in the same Seth Bean, Bruce Bjorklund, Jeffrey capacity of a regular full time deputy Brenneman, Mark Miller, Mark Mills and Ross Sorensen.

This past year eight new Reserve Depu- Commander Don Ellis and Sgt. Gary ties joined the Story County Sheriff's Backous oversee the operations of the



The Sheriff's Reserve Unit is a highly Current members of the Story County Photo: Reserves monthly meeting, continuing education and instruction.

A special THANK YOU to our **Reserve Officers** for the 3.614 hours of volunteer time and their dedicated service donated in 2013.

# The Story County Sheriff's Office Dive Team is a volunteer organization that provides water rescue, underwater search and recovery and underwater investigative services to the citizens in Story County.

Composed of highly skilled SCUBA divers who are mentally and physically prepared to respond to water related incidents under dangerous environmental conditions, the team is committed to the preservation of life, collection of evidence, recovery of property and education of the public on water safety.

Dive Team members: Commander Lt. Donald Ellis, Sgt. Gary Backous-Dive Team Supervisor; Deputy Aaron Kester-Dive Team Coordinator; Deputies Kyle Thompson and James Schroeder: Detention Officers Karissa Tande, Mike Peck and Rodney Briggs; and volunteer members Dustyn Turner and Jeff Irvin.

### **Dive Team**



Photo above: Dive team members Karissa Tande and Rodney Briggs at vehicle water rescue training.

Photo above: Dive team vehicle recovery training exercise



Photo above: Dive team member James Schroeder

# Story County Sheriff's Office



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# **Support Services Division**

# **Volunteers**

Our volunteer program is very hours and years of volunteering with important to the Story County Sheriff's our office. This small gesture is to Office. We currently have 137 volun- thank them for their dedication and teers registered with our office. That service. number includes the members on the dive team and Sheriff's Reserve.

The volunteers at the Story County Sheriff's Office perform tasks in the various divisions of the sheriff's office. Volunteers also do a menagerie of duties; secretarial duties, class facilitators for the citizen's academy and volunteering at the firing range under Support Services, jail visitation, life skills in the jail as well as the various religion affiliations providing religious instruction and services.

These loyal, dedicated men and women give numerous hours of their time to the Story County Sheriff's Office and the citizens of Story County. The total number of hours the volunteers donated to the Story County Sheriff's Office in 2013 was 7,958 hours, equivalent to 3.8 full time employees. In 2012. the volunteers gave 7044 hours of service, equivalent to 3.4 full time staff.

This year, the Story County Sheriff's Office is partnering with Central Iowa **RSVP Volunteer Management group to** facilitate an organized volunteer response in the tragic event of a missing or abducted person. Should such an event occur, Central Iowa RSVP pre-trained volunteers will assist the sheriff's office in the management of volunteer registrations, team coordination, just-in-time training and deployment of volunteers. Trained volunteers will also help the sheriff's office staff the tip hotline during such incidents.

A big thanks goes out to all the volunteers who have and are currently working at the Story County Sheriff's Office. In recognition of our volunteers, the sheriff's office hosts an annual appreciation dinner for them. At the dinner the members are recognized for their





**Bjorklund and Mark Miller** 



Photo: Jall Visitation Volunteers, seated, is Kevin Madden, and standing Eric Sailsury

If you are interested in becoming a **VOLUNTEER** Please contact our office. Or go to our website:

www.storycountyiowa.gov/sheriff



Photo: RSVP Hot Line Volunteers, L to R: Lisa Vaughn and Christine Crow, and Verna Emerson



### **Number of Volunteer Hours**

Dive Team:	744	Hrs.
Citizens Academy:	195	Hrs.
Reserves:	3614	Hrs.
Front Office Volunteer:	137	Hrs.
Jail:	3244	Hrs.
Firing Range:	24	Hrs.
Total hours	7958	Hrs.

Thank you to R.S.V.P. (Retired Senior Volunteer Program) for their partnership in providing outstanding volunteers with specific skills

Thank you to all the generous people who volunteer. Your generosity of the giving of your time and knowledge is immeasurable.



Office and the community it serves.

week where participants learn about the ter. Story County Sheriff's Office and what it academy.

room and field sessions with presentations being given from Administration, Upon completion of the ten week Support Services, Field Services, course, a graduation ceremony is held Communications and the Jail Divisions.

conducts an annual citizen's academy to accident investigation, emergency our deputies and civilian members educate and promote a better relation- vehicle operation, drug investigations interact and work with the members of ship between the Story County Sheriff's and much more. Students will also have our community to help make Story the opportunity to ride along with a County a safe and friendly place to live. deputy, spend time on the firing range,

takes to provide law enforcement The instructors at the academy are March. services to the citizens of Story County. comprised of Story County Sheriff's There is no cost to attend the citizen's Office staff and outside personnel. The instructors will describe the functions of their position and will be available to This ten week course consists of class field any questions that may arise.

> for the members of the citizen's academy.

The Story County Sheriff's Office Topics include firearms, traffic safety, The academy is but one of many ways

The academy meets one evening a and observe in the communication cen- Applications for the citizen's academy are solicited in the month of January with classes beginning the middle of



# Come join us **NEXT SESSION!**

# Citizen's Academy will be conducted early spring

(go to www.storycountyjowa.gov under Sheriff's Office for an application)

# **Field Services Division**

Commander: Lt. Jeff Dodds

**Patrol Division** 

**First Shift Supervisor** Sgt. Randy Mortvedt **Second Shift Supervisor** Sgt. Nicholas Lennie

**Third Shift Supervisor** Sgt. Leanna Ellis

**Deputy Jason Grubbs Deputy Bret Johnson Deputy Aaron Kester Deputy Elizabeth Quinn Deputy Brian Tickle** 

**Deputy Andrew Boeckman Deputy A.J. Christian Deputy James Schroeder Deputy Jeff Scott** 

**Deputy Dillon Combs** Deputy Nicholas Hochberger **Deputy Joel Navratil Deputy Jamie Schmitz Deputy Kyle Schultz** 

first to respond and handle a variety of enforcement services. emergency and non-emergency situations. Fifteen deputies and three The sheriff's office, along with the Ames sergeants staff three shifts to ensure Police Department and ISU Police, have 24/7 patrol coverage for the nine con- a multi-agency agreement that allows tract towns and rural areas of the coun- for the sharing of information and recty. In addition to answering calls for ser- ords. All three agencies are entering vice and routine patrol, deputies assist their second year of using the same increasing number of court-ordered patrol deputies to complete their duties mental health committals. The men and more efficiently and effectively. Our women of the Patrol Division are dedicated to providing professional and quality services to the citizens of Story County.

**Story County Sheriff's Deputies possess** a number of specialties throughout the able to file affidavits and reports from Field Services Division. Deputies Eliza- the computer terminal in their patrol beth Quinn and Dillon Combs are both vehicle. This decreases the officer's certified Drug Recognition Experts time at the office and increases their (DRE's) and are dedicated to keeping time on patrol. lowa's roadways safer by removing drug impaired drivers from the highways. Deputy Adam Christian received certification in Arson Investigation, and Deputy Aaron Kester continues his certification as a Technical Investigator for accident investigations. The sheriff's office utilizes special teams to include the Emergency Response Team (ERT) and trained Crisis Negotiators during lishing community partnerships with critical incidents. Several Deputies are local businesses, government entities certified to instruct firearms, standard- and community. Deputies regularly atized field sobriety testing, patrol train- tend city council meetings in contract ing, defensive tactics, etc. Story County towns to answer any questions or con-

The Patrol Division plays a critical role in Patrol Deputies are passionate about cerns from the public. In addition, the the law enforcement duties provided by maintaining a high skill set in order to the sheriff's office. Deputies are the provide professional and proactive law

with the serving of civil notices, commu- software provider, which streamlines nity policing functions and the ever- the sharing of information and allows patrol deputies are all equipped with Mobile Data Terminals (MDT's). This technology provides the ability for deputies in the field to run wanted checks, driver's license checks, vehicle license plate checks as well as being

> The sheriff's office continues to expand the number of SUV's in their fleet. This provides responding officers with greater capability to maneuver through inclement weather during the winter months.

> We continue to be proactive in estab-

sheriff's office continues to offer solutions for a response to an active shooter event, including close interaction with schools, churches and businesses to establish procedures and protocols. The sheriff's office provides education and training for schools, churches, county offices, and business, etc. on a safety program called A.L.i.C.E. (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, and Evacuate).

- 1.) Alert Call 911:
- 2.) Lockdown-Shelter in Place
- 3.) Inform-Constant, Real-time **Up-dates:**
- 4.) Counter the Attack
- 5.) Evacuate Get Out

For more information on A.Li.C.E.

Training is paramount, deputies participate in 6 mandatory training days per year in addition to many specialized trainings and exercises.



Photo: Deputies attending yearly CPR/ Blood Borne Pathogens training.

# **Field Services Division Commander: Lt. Jeff Dodds Investigations** Sgt. Rodnev Bunn **Detective Anthony Rhoad** The Investigations Division of the Story it is also their responsibility to transport

County Sheriff's Office investigates all the evidence to the lowa Division of crimes with the exception of drug Criminal Investigation Crime Lab for Burglary continues to be a frequent offenses committed in Story County. analysis and then back to the sheriff's crime in Story County. Here are a few Since crime has no jurisdictional bound- office. Evidence is held until it is no longaries, we pride ourselves with our work- er needed, at which time it is either reing relationships with other law enforce- turned to the proper owner or destroyed ment agencies. The investigators are per court order. This coding advanceactive members of lowa Law Enforce- ment enhances the process and better ment Intelligence Network and Mid ensures a true and secure accounting State Organized Crime Information of the chain of custody of our evidence. Center (MOCIC), which are vital in exchanging information throughout the Midwest, as well as across the nation.

The Investigations Division is responsible for the management of the evidence seized by the sheriff's office, Story County Conservation and the lowa Division of Evidence is Narcotics Enforcement. labeled and tracked through a bar coding system software. This process is more efficient and precise than ever before. Along with managing evidence,

With the increase in computer crimes, we were able to purchase and implement computer forensic software. This software enables us to duplicate and examine computer hard drives. Detective Rhoad has successfully completed the 80 hour training.

Our investigators continue to be aggressive in solving a variety of crimes and maintaining their focus of providing quality services to Story County citizens.

### Don't Be A Victim

helpful hints on how not to be a victim.:

- Always lock your doors when away
- Let someone know you are gone and you will return, and call our office for a security check
- Make it look as if you are home. (examples leave a light on, keep your driveway shoveled)
- Report any suspicious activity
- Do not put boxes such as TVs, computers, etc. on the curb for garbage pickup

# **Central Iowa Drug Task Force**

### Sgt. Scott Kickbush

# **Deputy Kyle Thompson**

Central lowa Drug Task Force (CIDTF) is task force coordinates and supervises Methamphetamine ICE smuggled from Story, Boone, and Greene counties the funding grant. Officers from the the last several years. under the direction of the Story County CIDTF continue to see : Sheriff's Office. Full-time members include the Story County Sheriff's Office, An upsurge in high grade marijuana and is making a comeback in lowa. enforcement agencies in the three coun- or being shipped by mail. ties serve as part-time members.

Policy. The sergeant assigned to the chase pseudoephedrine for them.

a multi-jurisdictional task force covering all task force activities and maintains

Ames Police, ISU Police, Story County coming into the state from states that Officers continue to see a increase in Attorney's Office, Boone County Sheriff's have legalized it or have medical mariju- heroin usage and prescription drug Office, Boone Police Department, Boone ana dispensaries; this has been on the County Attorney's Office, Iowa Division rise for the last several years. The maof Narcotics Enforcement, and the lowa jority of marijuana being seized is com-National Guard. Numerous other law ing from the state of Colorado by vehicle

Methamphetamine remains a problem Story County has two full-time deputies and continues to be manufactured usassigned to the task force, their posi- ing the "one pot" method. Small labs tions are funded through a grant from continue to be used in this area with trolled substance. The plant leaves are the Governor's Office of Drug Control cooks using multiple individuals to pur- chewed like tobacco.

Mexico is on the rise and has been for

Heroin's popularity continues to climb abuse.

Khat (pronounced "cot") which is a stimulant drug derived from a shrub (Catha edulis) that is native to East Africa and southern Arabia is relatively new to the scene. Fresh khat is known to contain cathinone, a Schedule I con-

# **Jail Division**

Jail Administrator: John Asmussen

Assistant Jail Administrator: Micah Andersen

Sgt. Russ Belz

**DO Supervisor Josh Houston** 

**DO Supervisor Levi Hansen** 

**DO Supervisor Karissa Tande** 

**DO Supervisor Josh Webster** 

# **Transport Deputy: Tim Schoppe**

# 1st Shift

**DO Clark Blau** 

**DO Tracy Geffre** 

**DO Michelli Good** 

**DO Diane Hobart** 

**DO Mike Kennedy** 

**DO Michael Peck** 

**DO Amanda Roush** 

**DO Randy Stoeffler** 

# 2nd Shift

**DO Russell Bauer** 

**DO Karen Bell** 

**DO Abigail Brend** 

**DO Corv Davis** 

**DO AI Lavender** 

**DO Trevor McGraw** 

**DO Melinda Parris** 

**DO Brett Sink** 

# **3rd Shift**

**DO Isaac Bean** 

**DO Ben Boelkes** 

**DO Rodney Briggs** 

**DO Jason Fugere** 

**DO Casandra Haro** 

**DO Kylee Harrill** 

**DO Travis Harrison** 

DO Natosha Scheuerman

Cooks: Daniel Grause, Nicholas Rosenberg, Sherry Sinclair and Sharon Kenagy

Office Services Technician: Nancy Denekas Jail Diversion Program Manager: Amy Peters

In 2013 the Story County Jail recorded ders. An average of 43 inmates per In 2013 the Story County Sheriff's Ofa decrease in the processing of inmates month were screened and monitored by fice, the Ames Police Department, and into and out of the Jail. In 2013 the jail clinical mental health staff during the lowa State University Police Departbooked in 3,733 inmates and released FY2013. Throughout the year an aver- ment founded the Story County Gang 3,729 for a total of 7,462 inmates pro- age of 6 inmates were seen by the jail Task Force. The Story County Gang Task cessed compared to the 7,743 inmates tele-psychiatrist each month. processed in 2012 and the 7,644 in- based programming, including case found not only within Story County but mates processed in 2011. In 2013 the management, referrals to and coordina- with surrounding counties as well. The average daily population of the Story tion with community service providers, Story County Gang Task Force consists County Jail was 60 inmates. In 2013 and skill development classes are also of members from Ames PD, ISU PD, the jail averaged 10 bookings and 10 offered to assist with successful transi- Story City PD, Nevada PD, Huxley PD, releases on each day of the year. It is tion by inmates from jall to the commu- Story County Sheriff's Office, Polk Couninteresting to note that in 2013 the nity. Additionally in 2013 the program ty Jail, and the Probation Office. The maximum number of inmates pro- sought out, and was approved as an focus of the Story County Gang Task cessed in one single day was 59 inmate lowa Workforce Development Virtual Force is to identify and track the booked into the jail and 61 inmates Access Point for job seekers. released from the jail.

experienced three significant changes:

continued to serve inmates with mental 7 inmate attendees each week. health and substance abuse disor-

During FY2013 a Life Skills class was During 2013 the Story County Jail also also started, which offers skill development in areas including problem solving, managing conflict, job seeking, and In 2013, the Jail Diversion / Transition resource management. This class is from Jail to Community (TJC) Program offered weekly at the jail and averages

Jail Force consists of several agencies amount of gang activity found within Story County.



Inmate Life Skills class: Pictured L to R: Susan Moore from Community Life Program and, Amy Peters-Jail Based Case Manager

# **Communications Division**

**Commander: Dina McKenna** 

**Communications Operations Manager: Nicolas Briseno** 

Communications Supervisor (vacant)

Telecommunicators: Colin Chinery, Joan Hinders, Marcene Hunter, Jerri Levri, Marylin MacVey, Stephanie Memmer, Kristen Moore, Danielle Schmitt, Janet Stoll and two vacancies

In December of 2013 the Story County Board of Supervisors approved to add one (1) additional telecommunicator which will help immensely with staff coverage in the Communications Division. Once this position is filled we will have eleven (11) telecommunicators.

The communications center is the primary answering point for law enforcement, fire and medical call in the 576 square mile county area. Telecommuni- The Story County Sheriff's Office is part

The Story County Sheriff's Office cators are skilled professionals who of a multi-agency public service network Communications Division consists of ten handle calls from citizens as well as with Ames Police Department and ISU (10) telecommunicators supervised by thirteen fire/medical agencies, four law Operations Manager Nicolas Briseño enforcement agencies and three ambuand commanded by Dina M. McKenna. lance services. Telecommunicators also handle incoming calls from the six law enforcement lines, four 911 lines and three wireless 911 lines. Trained as emergency medical dispatchers and able to provide pre-arrival medical assis- In 2013 our multi-agency public safety tance in advance of medical personnel arrival, telecommunicators receive continuing education to ensure the best possible service to the citizens of Story County.

Department of Public Safety. This partnership between agencies allows interoperable communications and a shared commitment to citizen's through continuous upgrade and maintenance of equipment.

network group spent much of the year planning and preparing for the implementation of new 911 equipment to be installed in January of 2014. This equipment will replace the 911 equipment that was purchased in 1996.

# Interesting 911 Facts.....

### Why 911?

Have you ever wondered why 911 was chosen as the universal emergency code in the United States? Prior to the 1960s, there was no universal number to call for emergency help. In 1967, the Federal Communications Commission met with AT&T to establish such a number, according to the National Emergency Number Association (NENA). But why did they choose 911? Why not 422 or 111? There are several reasons why 911 was chosen. It's a short, easy to remember number, but more importantly, 911 was a unique number - it had never been designated for an office code, area code or service code.

On February 16, 1968, Alabama Senator Rankin Fite made the first 911 call in the United States in Haleyville, Alabama. The Alabama Telephone Company carried the call. A week later, Nome, Alaska, implemented a 911 system. In 1973, the White House's Office of Telecommunication issued a national statement supporting the use of 911 and pushed for the establishment of a Federal Information Center to assist government agencies in implementing the system.

### Wireless 911 calls

Story County as well as all of lowa's 99 counties have the capability of accepting wireless enhanced 9-1-1 calls. placed the 9-1-1 call.

In addition Phase II required carriers to propriate communication center based place GPS receivers in phones in order on the defined geographic location. to deliver more specific latitude and Once the caller's voice and ANI are longitude location information. Without transferred to the communication cen-Phase II, a caller's location can only be ter, the telecommunicator will be able Through the implementation of the narrowed down to the cell tower from to view a graphic display that shows the Phase II the call taker at the public safe- which the call originated. With Phase II longitude and latitude of the person as ty answering point is provided with lati- a cell-phone user's phone number, or accessed through GPS satellites. The tude/longitude coordinates so they can Automatic Number Identification (ANI), operator's computer will link to the Aumore readily locate the person who has the address and location of the receiv- tomatic Location Identification (ALI) ing-antenna site is sent to the E-911 database, which stores address data switch that routes 911 calls to the ap- and other information.

# **Communications Division**

If you witness a crime or activity that seems unusual your first instinct may be to call for help and that is exactly what you should do. Surprisingly, many people don't follow their instincts out of fear of getting involved, sounding silly, appearing overly suspicious or being identified. But, law enforcement needs and wants your help so it is imperative that you call.

# Here are a few tips to remember when calling 911:

- ◆ Let the telecommunicator control the conversation, they are trained to ask the pertinent questions
- Stay on the line until a deputy arrives or the telecommunicator releases you from the call

# What Information Is Needed?

- Location of incident (could be different)
- Your location & Phone #
- Your name
- Descriptions
  - Vehicles
  - Persons
- What is happening
- When did it happen
- Weapons involved/available

The most important thing to remember when witnessing a crime is your own safety. Stay calm and try to get assistance to the victim as soon as possible.

Remember the golden rule:

 If you see something, say something.



Story County Sheriff's Office 24 hrs. 7 days per week Non- emergency telephone number: 515-382-6566

MORE TIPS: When reporting suspicious activity, it is helpful to give the most accurate description possible, including:

- Brief description of the activity
- Date, time and location of the activity
- Physical identifiers of anyone vou observed
- Descriptions of vehicles
- Information about where people involved in suspicious activities may have gone
- Your name and contact information (optional)



# Person Descriptions



- Start from head toe
- Hat, glasses, shirt, pants, shoes
- Male/Female
- Race
- Height
- Weight
- Color of Eyes and Hair
- Distinguishing features (i.e. scars, marks, tattoos)



DON'T forget the Story County Crime Stoppers Board maintains a phone line and online service to solicit anonymous tips.



# Vehicle Descriptions



- Color
- Year (approx.)
- Make/Model
- Body Style
- Additional (i.e. stickers, dents, neon lights, etc...)
- License Plate / State
- Occupants Description

# 2013 Crime Statistics

CRIMES	2013 TOTAL	2012 TOTALS	% CHANGE
Arson	5	1	400.00%
Assaults	63	50	26.00%
Burglary	68	62	9.68%
Sexual Assaults	13	12	8.33%
Robbery	2	2	0.00%
Theft	64	81	-20.99%
Motor Vehicle Theft	13	9	44.44%
Counterfeiting/ Forgery	1	RIFA.	0.00%
Fraud	19	16	18.75%
Embezzlement	0	0	0.00%
Stolen Property	0	0	0.00%
Vandalism	60	39	53.85%
Narcotic Offenses	77	82	-6.10%
Pornography	5	0	100.00%
Weapons Law	3	2	50.00%
Bad Checks	1	0	0.00%
TOTAL	393	357	10.08%

# 2013 Arrest Statistics

CRIMES	JUVENILE	ADULT	TOTAL	2012	% CHANGE
All Thefts	4	14	18	19	<b>-5.26%</b>
All Assaults	7	37	44	34	29.41%
Vandalism	1	5	6	9	-33.33%
Weapon Law Viola- tion	2	0	2	3	-33.33%
Drug/Narcotics	3	48	51	46	10.87%
Bad Checks	0	1	1	0	0.00%
Disorderly Conduct	1	11	12	5	140.00%
Public Intoxication	0	45	45	30	50.00%
Liquor Law Viola- tions	9	34	43	44	-2.27%
OWI	1	104	105	113	-7.08%
Trespass	5	4	9	4	125.00%
Runaway	0	0	0	0	0.00%
All Other Offenses	18	647	665	377	76.39%
TOTAL	51	950	1001	684	46.35%

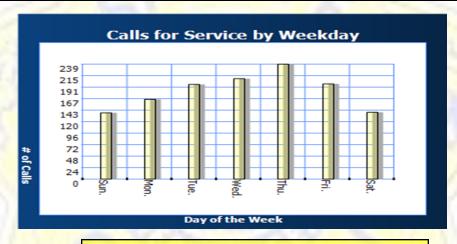
# **2013 Calls For Service Statistics**

ALRM General Alarm/Bank/Residential	104	MEDI Medical Assistance/Ambulance Call	84
ANML Animal Call/General	145	MENT Mental Health Issue	44
ASLT General Assault	35	MISS Missing Person/Runaway	20
ASST Law Department Assist	211	MVPD Motor Vehicle Crash- Property Damage	338
ATTL Attempt to Locate/Person-Vehicle	18	MVPI Motor Vehicle Crash- Personal Injury	79
BOMB Bomb Threat/Explosion	1	MVUK Motor Vehicle Crash Unknown	26
BURG Attempted Burglary/Burglary	65	OPEN Open Door	22
CIVIL Civil Matter	121	OWI Operating While Intoxicated	15
CONS Conservation Violation	3	PAPR Civil Court Process Service	4314
CWCK Child Welfare Check	7	PARK Parking Enforcement/Complaint	66
DISO Disorderly Conduct	3	POSS Possession Alcohol/Tobacco <legal age<="" td=""><td>27</td></legal>	27
DIVE Dive Team Call Out	4	PROP Lost/Found/Impounded Property	24
DOMD Domestic Dispute	150	PROW Prowler	0
DPQ Disturbance & Noise Party	70	PRST Pursuit Vehicle/Foot	0
DRUG Drug Activity/Investigation	67	RECK Reckless Driver	292
DTH Death Investigation	6	ROBB Robbery	4
ELEV Elevator Assist	1	REPO Repossession	1
ESCT Escort/Business-Funeral	14	SART Sexual Assault	15
EXPO Indecent Exposure	2	SHOT Shots Fired	23
FGHT Fight in Progress	21	SMOK Smoke Report	0
FIRA Fire Alarm	8	SNOW Snow Ordinance Violation	11
FIRE Fire Structure	31	SOLI Solicitors/Sales Person	1
FIRL Lines Down	0	SORC Sex Offender Registry	113
FIRO Other	19	SUIC Suicide Investigation	23
FIRV Vehicle Fire	35	SUSP Suspicious Activity/Person/Veh	549
FLUP Follow UP	162	SWAR Search Warrant	5
HARA Harassment-Mail/Phone	141	THFT Theft – General/Property/Fraud/Forgery	165
HAZM Chemical Spills/Odor	5	TRAN Prisoner/Subject Transport	382
HRPD Hit & Run Property Damage	15	TRES Trespass	26
HRPI Hit & Run Personal Injury	0	TRFF Traffic Stop/Enforcement	3437
HZRD Traffic Hazard	166	TRUA Truancy	1
I911 911 Hang up/Incomplete call	72	VACR Vacation Residence check	92
INTX Public Intoxication	28	VAND Vandalism/Criminal Mischief	94
JAIL Jail Rules Infraction	23	VEHD Vehicle in Ditch	246
JUVT Juvenile Trouble	67	VENT Vehicle Theft	14
KIDN Kidnapping/Abduction	1	VIOL Violation of No Contact Order	12
LITR Littering	21	WARS Warrant Service	504
LITR Littering MAIN Equipment/Signal Malfunction		WARS Warrant Service WCHK Welfare Check	504 121



# **Calls for Service Statistics**

2013 Calls for Service Response Time						
Call Priority	Number of Calls	Dispatch time	Travel time	Response Time	At Scene Time	Service time
Р	600	1.68	4.35	6.03	28.46	32.81
1	5,241	2.53	3.87	6.40	17.98	21.85
2	6,800	3.63	4.09	7.72	14.21	18.30
3+	207	9.14	7.67	16.81	23.07	30.74
Key: P= Highest Priority 1=Medium Priority 2=Low Priority	Total Calls:	Average Time:				
3+ = Non-emergency	12,848	3.18	4.07	7.25	16.55	20.62



**2013 Calls Dispatched For Other Agencies** 

(1000)	2013 Fi	ire/EMS Dispatches	610/
Cambridge Fire & EMS	146	McCallsburg Fire & EMS	51
Collins Fire & EMS	63	Nevada Fire & EMS	618
Colo Fire & EMS	165	Roland Fire & EMS	99
Gilbert Fire & EMS	134	Slater Fire & EMS	92
Huxley Fire & EMS	249	Story City Fire & EMS	297
Kelley Fire & EMS	103	Zearing Fire & EMS	66
Maxwell Fire & EMS	108	Total Fire/EMS	2,191
		nbulance Dispatches	205
Huxley Ambulance	212	Story County Medical Center	925
Story City Ambulance	170	Total Ambulance calls	1,307
	2013 Law E	inforcement Dispatches	
Conservation	80	Story City PD	1,519
Huxley PD	2,130	Story County Sheriff's Office	14,023
Nevada PD	4,841	Total LAW calls	22,593

# **2013 Civil Division Statistics**

# **Support Services**

# **Civil Cases**

Civil Cases Activated	2010	2011	2012	2013
Totals	5372	4365	4172	4022

# Civil Documents Processed From Civil Cases

Document Types	2010	2011	2012	2013
Original Notices	2371	1698	1415	1272
Notices	1062	586	763	770
Subpoenas	705	714	666	694
Orders	<b>1949</b>	1353	<b>16</b> 90	1716
Executions	3329	2287	2653	2448
Warrants	528	3 <mark>46</mark>	326	249
Summons/Citations	354	230	247	216
Writs	267	<b>16</b> 6	160	180
Misc.	1535	971	<b>1221</b>	1180
Totals	12100	8351	9141	8725

# Weapon Permits Issued

Permit Types	2010	2011	2012	2013
Professi <mark>onal</mark>	25	27	24	29
Non-Professional	423	1867	908	1202
Permits to Acquire	910	623	628	575
Hard Card Permits				(291)
Totals	1358	2517	1560	1806

# **Weapon Permit Disqualification**

Actions Taken	2010	2011	2012	2013
Denial	13	17	20	18
Revoked	0	2	1	2
Suspended	0	0	3	3
Totals	13	19	24	23

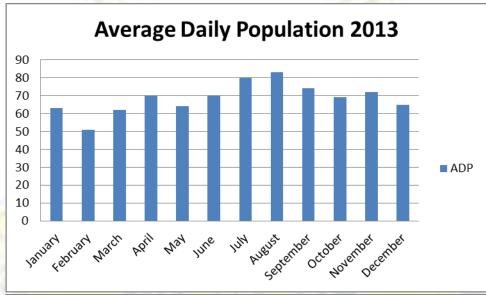
# **2013 Field Services Patrol Statistics**

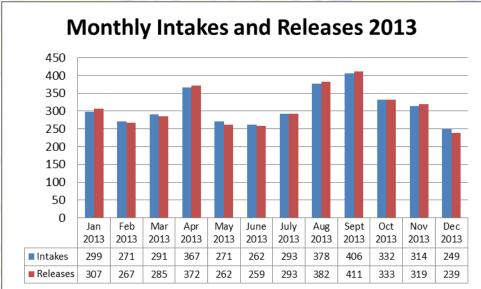
Patrol Statistics 2013						
Sum Speed	816	Summons Child Restraint	4	Injury Crashes	67	
Warn Speed	847	Warning Child Restraint	9	Arrest Warrants	264	
Stop Sign/Light Citation	51	Arrest OWI	100	Arrest Other	154	
Stop Sign/Light Warning	107	OWI Contact	113	Juvenile Referral	21	
Summons Other	662	Public Intox Arrest	43	Motorist Assist	996	
Warning Other	1,704	Possession Under Age	34	Civil Notice	246	
Equipment Other Warning	<mark>513</mark>	Open Container	34	Accidents Property Damage	334	
Summons Seatbelt	11	.02 Violation	1	TOTAL	7,165	
Warning Seat- belt	33	Fatal Crashes	1			

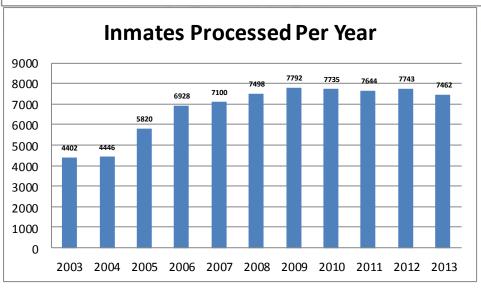
# 2013 Central Iowa Drug Task Force Statistics

Type of Arrest	# of Arrests	Drug Type Confiscated	Amounts
Felony Arrests	65	LSD	100 doses
Misdemeanor Arrests	44	Cocaine	20.5 grams
Felonies Charged	114	Ecstasy	4 doses
Misdemeanor Charged	69	Hashish	14 grams
Pending Charges	188	Marijuana	10,308 grams
Labs Found	14	Marijuana Synthetic	42 grams
Search Warrants	53	Hydrocodone	1,200 doses
Drug Buys	94	Methamphetamine (Meth)	<b>341</b> grams
Money Seized	\$48,180	Meth. ICE	<b>246.1</b> grams
Guns Seized	10	Mushrooms	11 grams
Knock & Talks	32	Steroids	30 Milliliters
Vehicles Seized	0	Miscellaneous Prescriptions	68,039 doses
		Khat	<b>21,318</b> grams

# **2013 Jail Statistics**





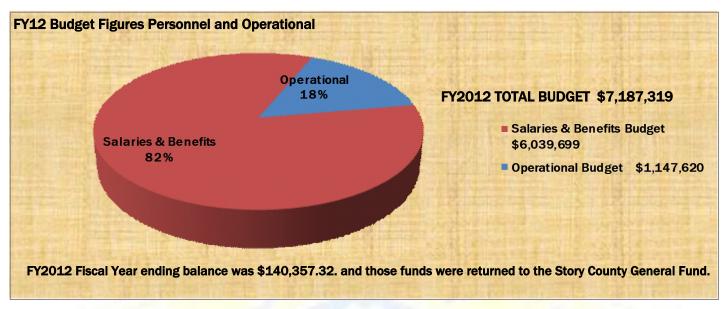


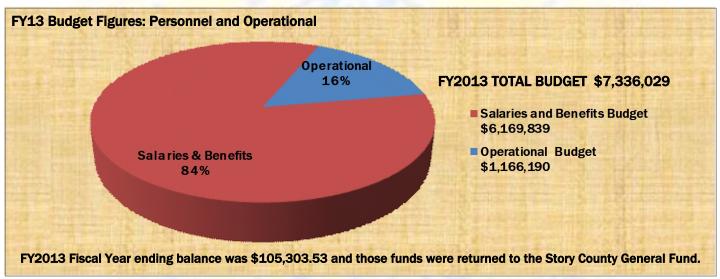
# Fiscal Year 2013 Budget Figures

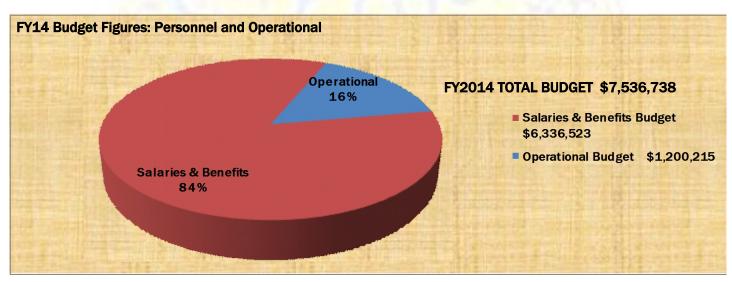
# **FY13 Revenue Generated**

Story County Sheriff's Repor	t
Total Income Earned	
For the Year Ending June 30, 201	3
Civil Fees	\$139,945.00
Permits to Carry Concealed Weapon	\$51,640.00
Interest earned	\$53.72
Work Release	\$10,686.00
Total Paid to Story County Treasurer	\$202,324.72
Total Revenue Earned By the Sheriff's Office For	Fiscal Year 2013
Interest Earned on Invest	52.25
Miscellaneous f <mark>unds                                    </mark>	2,682.19
General Service Fund Contract Law Enforcement	55,441.18
Rural Service Fund Contract Law Enforcement	363,429.00
Care of Out of County Prisoners	48,788.00
State Grants	7,827.04
General Fund Miscellaneous Federal Grants	16,433.00
Miscellaneous Federal Grants SSA Recovery	8,600.00
Sheriff's Fees	158,756.62
Weapons Permits	50,760.00
Prisoner's Room & Board	115,394.60
General Fund Other General Government Fees	665.00
Fuel Tax Refund	8,854.61
Rural Fund Other General Government Fees	8,865.00
Rural Fund Miscellaneous Federal Grants	87,169.83
Total Revenues:	933,718.32

# Fiscal Years 2012 - 2014 Budget Figures







# Story County Sheriff's Office works closely with Story County Crime Stoppers

Story County residents now have a tool to keep their communities safe and help law enforcement solve crimes. Story County Crime Stoppers have a telephone line and online service to solicit anonymous tips. Crime Stoppers is a national organization that offers cash rewards for information that helps lead to an arrest and conviction in a case. The community run board operates the Crime Stoppers program with full cooperation of all law enforcement agencies in Story County. The phone line is answered 24-7 and tips can also be made online or by text message. All tips will remain anonymous.

Crimes Stoppers is a non-profit organization and is maintained by donations.

TO DONATE, you can go online at www.storycountycs.com

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donations can be mailed to

# REWARD UP TO: \$1,000

Of you have information on any crime in our communities

Contact:

Story County Crime Stoppers

To report anonymously, go online to: www.storycountycs.com

or

call 515-382-7577

or

text "STORY COUNTY" plus your message to 274637 (CRIMES)















# Keeping citizens informed.

Go to our website to learn more and sign up for CODERED

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# NOTE:

**Employment Opportunities:** 

Job openings with the sheriff's office are posted on the Story County, IA website under employment (www.storycountyiowa.gov) If you would like to be notified of any future job postings,

click on "Employment"
and select the "Job Interest
Cards", complete your information, submit and you will be
notified of job opportunities when
they become available.

Story County is an Equal Opportunity Employer

